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GENERAL INVESTIGATIVE

SUPPLEMENTAL STATEMENT

Pursuant to Section 2 of the Foreign Agents  
Registration Act of 1938, as Amended

MAY 3 1978

For Six Month Period Ending \_\_\_\_\_  
(Insert date)

Name of Registrant

JAMAICA TOURIST BOARD

Registration No.

1445

Business Address of Registrant

866 Second Avenue, New York, N.Y. 10017

I - REGISTRANT

1. Has there been a change in the information previously furnished in connection with the following:

(a) If an individual:

(1) Residence address	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>
(2) Citizenship	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>
(3) Occupation	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>

(b) If an organization:

(1) Name	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
(2) Ownership or control	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
(3) Branch offices	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

2. Explain fully all changes, if any, indicated in Item 1.

IF THE REGISTRANT IS AN INDIVIDUAL, OMIT RESPONSE TO ITEMS 3, 4, and 5.

3. Have any persons ceased acting as partners, officers, directors or similar officials of the registrant during this 6 month reporting period? Yes ☒ No ☐

If yes, furnish the following information:

Name

Position

Date Connection  
Ended

Miss Marcella Martinez

Assistant Director of Tourism - N.A.

Feb 28, 1978

4. Have any persons become partners, officers, directors or similar officials during this 6 month reporting period? ☒ Yes ☐ No

If yes, furnish the following information:

Name	Residence Address	Citizenship	Position	Date Assumed
George deMercado	68 Rising Rock Road Stamford, Conn 06903	Jamaican		April 3, 1978
Rewan Tavares	15 Greenlawn Court Hempstead, L. I. 11550	Jamaican		June 12, 1978

5. Has any person named in Item 4 rendered services directly in furtherance of the interests of any foreign principal? Yes ☐ No ☐

If yes, identify each such person and describe his services.

George deMercado as General Manager in the New York Office is responsible for the Jamaica Tourist Board's Offices in North America, both administratively and from a marketing point of view. This encompasses meetings with airline personnel, business organizations and travel agents.

Rewan Tavares - Group Development Representative conducts seminars and presentations on Jamaica for travel agents and other groups interested in visiting Jamaica.

6. Have any employees or individuals other than officials, who have filed a short form registration statement, terminated their employment or connection with the registrant during this 6 month reporting period? Yes ☐ No ☒

If yes, furnish the following information:

Name	Position or connection	Date terminated
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7. During this 6 month reporting period, have any persons been hired as employees or in any other capacity by the registrant who rendered services to the registrant directly in furtherance of the interests of any foreign principal in other than a clerical or secretarial, or in a related or similar capacity? Yes ☒ No ☐

If yes, furnish the following information:

Name	Residence Address	Position or connection	Date connection began
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See item 4 above

## II - FOREIGN PRINCIPAL

8. Has your connection with any foreign principal ended during this 6 month reporting period?

Yes ☐ No ☒

If yes, furnish the following information:

*Name of foreign principal*

*Date of Termination*

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9. Have you acquired any new foreign principal<sup>1</sup> during this 6 month reporting period? Yes ☐ No ☒

If yes, furnish following information:

*Name and address of foreign principal*

*Date acquired*

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10. In addition to those named in Items 8 and 9, if any, list the foreign principals<sup>1</sup> whom you continued to represent during the 6 month reporting period.

JAMAICA TOURIST BOARD

Sheraton Office Complex

77-83 Knutsford Blvd., Kingston 5, JAMAICA, W.I.

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## III - ACTIVITIES

11. During this 6 month reporting period, have you engaged in any activities for or rendered any services to any foreign principal named in Items 8, 9, and 10 of this statement? Yes ☐ No ☐

If yes, identify each such foreign principal and describe in full detail your activities and services:

(detailed in attached)

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<sup>1</sup> The term "foreign principal" includes, in addition to those defined in section 1(b) of the Act, an individual or organization any of whose activities are directly or indirectly supervised, directed, controlled, financed, or subsidized in whole or in major part by a foreign government, foreign political party, foreign organization or foreign individual. (See Rule 100(a)(9)).

A registrant who represents more than one foreign principal is required to list in the statements he files under the Act only those foreign principals for whom he is not entitled to claim exemption under Section 3 of the Act. (See Rule 208.)

12. During this 6 month reporting period, have you on behalf of any foreign principal engaged in political activity<sup>2</sup> as defined below?

Yes ☐ No ☒

If yes, identify each such foreign principal and describe in full detail all such political activity, indicating, among other things, the relations, interests and policies sought to be influenced and the means employed to achieve this purpose. If the registrant arranged, sponsored or delivered speeches, lectures or radio and TV broadcasts, give details as to dates, places of delivery, names of speakers and subject matter.

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13. In addition to the above described activities, if any, have you engaged in activity on your own behalf which benefits any or all of your foreign principals?

Yes ☐ No ☐

If yes, describe fully.

See Item 11

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<sup>2</sup> The term "political activities" means the dissemination of political propaganda and any other activity which the person engaging therein believes will, or which he intends to, prevail upon, indoctrinate, convert, induce, persuade, or in any other way influence any agency or official of the Government of the United States or any section of the public within the United States with reference to formulating, adopting, or changing the domestic or foreign policies of the United States or with reference to the political or public interests, policies, or relations of a government of a foreign country or a foreign political party.

# IV - FINANCIAL INFORMATION

## 14. (a) RECEIPTS - MONIES

During this 6 month reporting period, have you received from any foreign principal named in Items 8, 9 and 10 of this statement, or from any other source, for or in the interests of any such foreign principal, any contributions, income or money either as compensation or otherwise?

Yes ☒ No ☐

If yes, set forth below in the required detail and separately for each foreign principal an account of such monies.<sup>3</sup>

<i>Date</i>	<i>From Whom</i>	<i>Purpose</i>	<i>Amount</i>
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(see attached)

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Total

## 14. (b) RECEIPTS - THINGS OF VALUE

During this 6 month reporting period, have you received any thing of value<sup>4</sup> other than money from any foreign principal named in Items 8, 9 and 10 of this statement, or from any other source, for or in the interests of any such foreign principal?

Yes ☐ No ☒

If yes, furnish the following information:

<i>Name of foreign principal</i>	<i>Date received</i>	<i>Description of thing of value</i>	<i>Purpose</i>
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<sup>3</sup> A registrant is required to file an Exhibit D if he collects or receives contributions, loans, money, or other things of value for a foreign principal, as part of a fund raising campaign. See Rule 201(e).

<sup>4</sup> Things of value include but are not limited to gifts, interest free loans, expense free travel, favored stock purchases, exclusive rights, favored treatment over competitors, "kickbacks," and the like.

15. (a) DISBURSEMENTS - MONIES

During this 6 month reporting period, have you

(1) disbursed or expended monies in connection with activity on behalf of any foreign principal named in Items 8, 9 and 10 of this statement? Yes ☒ No ☐

(2) transmitted monies to any such foreign principal? Yes ☐ No ☒

If yes, set forth below in the required detail and separately for each foreign principal an account of such monies, including monies transmitted, if any, to each foreign principal.

Date	To Whom	Purpose	Amount
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(see attached)

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Total

15. (b) DISBURSEMENTS - THINGS OF VALUE

During this 6 month reporting period, have you disposed of anything of value<sup>5</sup> other than money in furtherance of or in connection with activities on behalf of any foreign principal named in items 8, 9 and 10 of this statement?

Yes ☐ No ☒

If yes, furnish the following information:

<i>Date disposed</i>	<i>Name of person to whom given</i>	<i>On behalf of what foreign principal</i>	<i>Description of thing of value</i>	<i>Purpose</i>
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(c) DISBURSEMENTS - POLITICAL CONTRIBUTIONS

During this 6 month reporting period, have you from your own funds and on your own behalf either directly or through any other person, made any contributions of money or other things of value<sup>5</sup> in connection with an election to any political office, or in connection with any primary election, convention, or caucus held to select candidates for political office? Yes ☐ No ☒

If yes, furnish the following information:

<i>Date</i>	<i>Amount or thing of value</i>	<i>Name of political organization</i>	<i>Name of candidate</i>
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V - POLITICAL PROPAGANDA

(Section 1(j) of the Act defines "political propaganda" as including any oral, visual, graphic, written, pictorial, or other communication or expression by any person (1) which is reasonably adapted to, or which the person disseminating the same believes will, or which he intends to, prevail upon, indoctrinate, convert induce, or in any other way influence a recipient or any section of the public within the United States with reference to the political or public interests, policies, or relations of a government of a foreign country or a foreign political party or with reference to the foreign policies of the United States or promote in the United States racial, religious, or social dissensions, or (2) which advocates, advises, instigates, or promotes any racial, social, political, or religious disorder, civil riot, or other conflict involving the use of force or violence in any other American republic or the overthrow of any government or political subdivision of any other American republic by any means involving the use of force or violence.)

16. During this 6 month reporting period, did you prepare, disseminate or cause to be disseminated any political propaganda as defined above? Yes ☐ No ☒

IF YES, RESPOND TO THE REMAINING ITEMS IN THIS SECTION V.

17. Identify each such foreign principal.

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<sup>5</sup> Things of value include but are not limited to gifts, interest free loans, expense free travel, favored stock purchases, exclusive rights, favored treatment over competitors, "kickbacks," and the like.

18. During this 6 month reporting period, has any foreign principal established a budget or allocated a specified sum of money to finance your activities in preparing or disseminating political propaganda?  
Yes ☐ No ☒

If yes, identify each such foreign principal, specify amount, and indicate for what period of time.

19. During this 6 month reporting period, did your activities in preparing, disseminating or causing the dissemination of political propaganda include the use of any of the following: **N/A**

☐ Radio or TV broadcasts ☐ Magazine or newspaper articles ☐ Motion picture films ☐ Letters or telegrams  
☐ Advertising campaigns ☐ Press releases ☐ Pamphlets or other publications ☐ Lectures or speeches  
☐ Other (specify) \_\_\_\_\_

20. During this 6 month reporting period, did you disseminate or cause to be disseminated political propaganda among any of the following groups:

☐ Public Officials ☐ Newspapers ☐ Libraries  
☐ Legislators ☐ Editors ☐ Educational institutions  
☐ Government agencies ☐ Civic groups or associations ☐ Nationality groups  
☐ Other (Specify) \_\_\_\_\_

21. What language was used in this political propaganda:

☐ English ☐ Other (specify) **N/A**

22. Did you file with the Registration Section, Department of Justice, two copies of each item of political propaganda material disseminated or caused to be disseminated during this 6 month reporting period?

Yes ☐ No ☐ **N/A**

23. Did you label each item of such political propaganda material with the statement required by Section 4(b) of the Act? Yes ☐ No ☐ **N/A**

24. Did you file with the Registration Section, Department of Justice, a Dissemination Report for each item of such political propaganda material as required by Rule 401 under the Act?

Yes ☐ No ☐ **N/A**

## VI - EXHIBITS AND ATTACHMENTS

### 25. EXHIBITS A AND B

- (a) Have you filed for each of the newly acquired foreign principals in Item 9 the following:

Exhibit A<sup>6</sup> Yes ☐ No ☐

Exhibit B<sup>7</sup> Yes ☐ No ☐ **N/A**

If no, please attach the required exhibit.

- (a) Have there been any changes in the Exhibits A and B previously filed for any foreign principal whom you represented during this six month period?

Yes ☐ No ☐

If yes, have you filed an amendment to these exhibits? Yes ☐ No ☐

If no, please attach the required amendment.

<sup>6</sup> The Exhibit A, which is filed on Form OBD-67 (Formerly DJ-306) sets forth the information required to be disclosed concerning each foreign principal.

<sup>7</sup> The Exhibit B, which is filed on Form OBD-65 (Formerly DJ-304) sets forth the information concerning the agreement or understanding between the registrant and the foreign principal.



26. EXHIBIT C

If you have previously filed an Exhibit C<sup>8</sup>, state whether any changes therein have occurred during this 6-month reporting period.

Yes ☐ No ☐ N/A

If yes, have you filed an amendment to the Exhibit C? Yes ☐ No ☐

If no, please attach the required amendment.

27. SHORT FORM REGISTRATION STATEMENT

Have short form registration statements, been filed by all of the persons named in Items 5 and 7 of the supplemental statement?

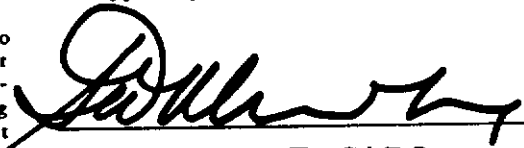
Yes ☒ No ☐

If no, list names of persons who have not filed the required statement.

The undersigned swear(s) or affirm(s) that he has (they have) read the information set forth in this registration statement and the attached exhibits and that he is (they are) familiar with the contents thereof and that such contents are in their entirety true and accurate to the best of his (their) knowledge and belief, except that the undersigned make(s) no representation as to the truth or accuracy of the information contained in attached Short Form Registration Statement, if any, insofar as such information is not within his (their) his (their) personal knowledge.

(Type or print name under each signature)

(Both copies of this statement shall be signed and sworn to before a notary public or other person authorized to administer oaths by the agent, if the registrant is an individual, or by a majority of those partners, officers, directors or persons performing similar functions who are in the United States, if the registrant is an organization.)



GEORGE deMERCADO  
General Manager - North America

Subscribed and sworn to before me at

New York, N.Y.

this

26<sup>th</sup>

day of

June

, 19

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DEANNE A. VOLPE  
Notary Public, State of New York  
No. 4147221018  
Qualified in Queens County  
Cert. filed in New York County  
Commission Expires March 30, 1980



(Signature of notary or other officer)

<sup>8</sup> The Exhibit C, for which no printed form is provided, consists of a true copy of the charter, articles of incorporation, association, constitution, and bylaws of a registrant that is an organization. (A waiver of the requirement to file an Exhibit C may be obtained for good cause shown upon written application to the Assistant Attorney General, Criminal Division, Internal Security Section, Department of Justice, Washington, D.C. 20530.

## **ITEM 11**

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During the reporting period , the Jamaica Tourist Board New York, participated in the following activities:-

- (a) The Board's Marketing Representatives attended the Henry Davis Trade Show in Westchester on November 2 and Long Island on November 3.

The Henry Davis Show is a travel trade show designed to educate travel agents on travel destinations, and new facilities and attractions they offer.

- (b) Assisted Flyfaire with familiarization tour to Jamaica November 11 - 13.
- (c) In January, the Board hosted a series of breakfast seminars and cocktail receptions in Philadelphia, New York, Baltimore, Washington, Boston and Hartford, Connecticut.
- (d) Assisted American Airlines with seminars for travel agents in Utica, Syracuse and Ithaca February 15 - 16 and Rochester and Albany February 22 - 23.
- (e) Our Marketing Representatives attended the Henry Davis' Show for agents on April 3, 4, 5 in New York, April 10 in White Plains, April 11 and 12 in Paramus, New Jersey, April 13 in Philadelphia, April 17 in Framingham, Massachusetts, April 18 in Hartford, Connecticut and April 20 in Long Island.

- (f) Our Marketing Representative continued to contact travel agents and assist them with general information on Jamaica. Special assistance was given to agents who requested detailed information for groups travelling to Jamaica.
- (g) Complaints were followed up through our Tourism Product Company in Jamaica
- (h) General information on Jamaica - hotels, restaurants, sightseeing, shopping, airline services, information on climate, sports, etc. - was given to the public.

14a Receipt of Monies

DATE	From Whom	Purpose	Amount
NOVEMBER	Jamaica Tourist Board - Kingston, Ja.	General Operating Expenses	\$57,750.00
DECEMBER	"	"	\$57,750.00
JANUARY	"	"	\$57,750.00
FEBRUARY	"	"	\$57,750.00
MARCH	"	"	\$57,750.00
APRIL	"	"	\$57,750.00
MAY	"	"	\$57,750.00
TOTAL			\$404,250.00

ITEM 15 a DISBURSEMENTS - MONIES

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MONTH	SALARIES	RENT/ELEC.	ENTERTAINMENT	PROMOTION	TELEPHONE
NOVEMBER	\$8,902.11	\$6,814.37	\$819.56	\$2,353.88	\$2,232.20
DECEMBER	10,147.55	6,272.56	999.00	638.30	2,363.20
	\$19,049.66	\$13,086.93	\$1,818.56	\$2,992.18	\$4,595.40

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NOTICE

Please answer the following questions and return this sheet in triplicate with your supplemental statement:

1. Is your answer to Item 16 of Section V (Political Propaganda - page 7 of Form OBD-64 - Supplemental Statement):

Yes \_\_\_\_\_ or No X

(If your answer to question 1 is "yes" do not answer question 2 of this form.)

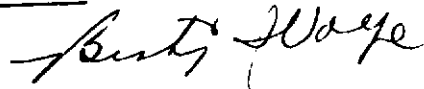
2. Do you disseminate any material in connection with your registration:

Yes X or No \_\_\_\_\_

(If your answer to question 2 is "yes" please forward for our review copies of all such material including: films, film catalogs, posters, brochures, press releases, etc. which you have disseminated during the past six months.)

  
Signature

6/26/78  
Date



GEORGE deMERCADO, General Manager

Please type or print name of  
signatory on the line above

GENERAL MANAGER NORTH AMERICA  
Title

BEATRIZ I. VOLPE  
Notary Public, New York  
County  
Commission Expires March 30, 1980